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In re Application of

SCHOFIELD, et al.

Application No. 09/931643

Filed: August 15, 2001

For: **OPTICAL SWITCH ROUTER**

DECISION ON REQUEST TO

CORRECT INVENTORSHIP

This is a decision on the request to correct inventorship filed on November 4, 2002.

A grantable request to correct inventorship of a nonprovisional application for adding additional inventors must include:

(1) A request to correct the inventorship that sets forth the desired inventorship change;

(2) A statement from each person being added as an inventor and from each person being deleted as an inventor that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention on his or her part;

(3) An oath or declaration by the actual inventor or inventors as required by §1.63 or as permitted by §1.42, §1.43 or §1.47;

(4) The processing fee set forth in §1.17(i); and

(5) If an assignment has been executed by any of the original named inventors, the written consent of the assignee.

Petitioner has not met all of the above. Notably, a petition under 37 CFR 1.183 is required to waive the requirements of 37 CFR 1.48(a)(2) to permit the filing of a statement by less than all the parties required to submit the statement.

Accordingly, the request is **DENIED**.

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